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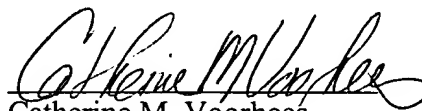
Responsive to a July 22, 2003 telephonic Request from Examiner Vo, enclosed are 1) a Supplemental Declaration for Reissue Patent to Correct "Errors" Statement signed by the Applicants; 2) the Substitute Specification that was attached to August 13, 2001 Response with claims 1-7, as in the parent Reissue application RE 37,420; and 3) the Supplemental Amendment, which underlines the text of amended claim 10 and the text of previously presented claims 8-9 and 11.

Claim 10 is amended as in the August 26, 2002 Amendment so that step (b) reads: "using, as another code in step (a), ...". The Substitute Specification includes claims 1-7, as printed in RE 37,420. It is believed that the above submission completes the formalities requested by the Examiner during the July 22, 2003 telephone conference and that the application is in condition for allowance. Applicants respectfully request an early and favorable consideration of the application.

Should the Examiner believe that a conference would advance the prosecution of this application, he is requested to telephone the undersigned counsel.

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